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**IMPORT HEALTH REQUIREMENTS OF MEXICO FOR SLAUGHTER
GOATS EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED STATES**

The animals must be accompanied by a U.S. Origin Health Certificate issued by a veterinarian so authorized by the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) and endorsed by a Veterinary Services (VS) veterinarian. The certificate shall contain the name and address of the consignor and the consignee, and individual identification of the animals to be exported. Additional information shall include:

CERTIFICATION STATEMENTS

Certificaciones

1. The animals for exportation are clinically healthy.
Los animales están clínicamente sanos.
2. The animals identified on this certificate are free of ectoparasites, OR were treated for ectoparasites on _____ (date) using _____ (name of product).
Los animales están libres de ectoparásitos, ó fueron tratados el _____ (fecha), con _____ (nombre del producto).

OTHER INFORMATION

1. All animals will be unloaded and inspected by a Mexican veterinarian at a facility in the United States at one of the following border points: Brownsville, Texas; Del Rio, Texas; Presidio, Texas; Eagle Pass, Texas; El Paso, Texas; San Luis, Arizona.
2. All animals shall be identified by eartag.
3. The animals will be inspected at the border for ectoparasites. If ectoparasites are found, they can be treated and resubmitted for inspection 72 hours later.
4. The animals must be transported in cleaned and disinfected vehicles.
5. The U.S. Origin Health Certificate must be typewritten. Mexican Port Veterinarians will reject any certificates that are handwritten.
6. The enclosed bilingual certifications (Appendix 1) may be attached to the U.S. origin health certificate (VS Form 17-140), but must be signed by the issuing accredited veterinarian and endorsed by the Federal veterinarian.

Health Certificate No. _____

Appendix 1

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Signature & Date of USDA Accredited Veterinarian

Signature and Date of Federal Veterinarian
(Apply Seal)

¹Delete part not applicable (*tache parte no aplicable*)